## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

TECHNICAL EDUCATION – Establishment of New Private Un-aided Polytechnics – Proposal of the Anakapalli Rural Electric Co-operative Society, Kasimkota, Visakhapatnam to set up a Polytechnic – In-principle approval – Accorded – Orders – issued.

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## HIGHER EDUCATION(TE-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 160

Dated.02-03-2009. Read:-

From the Commissioner of Technical Education, A.P., Hyderabad, Letter No.E3/ 1074/2008-Vol-II, dated.31.10.2008.

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## ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Commissioner of Technical Education, Hyderabad has reported that the Managing Director of the Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-operative Society Limited, Kasimkota, Visakhapatnam District, has stated that the Society was registered under A.P.Co-operative Societies Act 7 of 1964, functioning from 1974 and fulfilling its main objective of making electrical energy available to its member/ consumers in the area of 5 mandals under the area of operation of the Society. The Society had been running with a cumulative profit of Rs.698.00 lakhs. The Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-operative Society Ltd. intend to establish a new private Un-aided Polytechnic in the name of "RAJIV GANDHI RECS POLYTECHNIC" at Kasimkota from the academic year 2009-10, to impart technical education to the children of ex-employees/employees and member/ consumers of the Society and others in general. There are about 200 No. of employees and 98,000 No. of member/ consumers in the Society, and an extent of Ac.5.00 land out of the available Ac.9.34 cents of land can be utilized for the proposed Institution.

- 2. The Commissioner of Technical Education, Hyderabad has further reported that the Managing Director, Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-operative Society Ltd., Kasimkota, has requested the Commissioner of Technical Education, to exempt the Society from payment of joint FDR for Rs.15 lakhs to establish the proposed Institution and also to earmark 50% of the seats of the Institution to the children of ex-employees/ employees, and member/consumers of the Society on the basis of merit in the entrance test and other admission criteria. Hence, the Commissioner of Technical Education, Hyderabad has requested the Government to examine the request of the Society and to issue necessary orders in the matter.
- 3. In the circumstances stated above, Government, after careful examination, hereby accord in-principle approval to the Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-operative Society Ltd., Kasimkota, to set up a Polytechnic by meeting the entire recurring and non-recurring expenditure from its own funds subject to the adherence of the Society to the AICTE Norms, Rules and Regulations of Government of Andhra Pradesh in respect of starting of a polytechnic, admission of students, Rule of Reservations etc., and also subject to the following guidelines:
  - (i) 50% of the seats (student intake) may be reserved for the wards of the employees/ ex-employees of the Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-operative Society Limited. The balance 50% of seats shall be thrown open to others.

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- The admissions shall be made on the basis of merit ranks secured in the (ii) Common entrance Examination for Polytechnics (CEEP) and as per the A.P.Regulation of Admission of Candidates into Polytechnics and Statewide Institutions Rules, 1988. Vacant seats left, if any, after exhausting all eligible CEEP candidates, shall be allowed to be filled up by other eligible candidates as per Rule-3 of the above mentioned rules.
- (iii) The Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-operative Society Limited shall follow the Presidential Order regarding reservation of seats for admission and also the policy of the Government relating to communal reservations.
- However, no exemption is given to the Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-4. operative Society Limited from the payment of joint FDR for Rs.15.00 lakhs to establish the proposed Institution.
- The Commissioner of Technical Education, Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly and also short list the courses/ branches proposed to be started in the said Polytechnic keeping in view the special circumstances prevailing in the Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-operative Society Limited.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

## **ASUTOSH MISHRA** PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Commissioner of Technical Education, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Managing Director, Anakapalle Rural Electric Co-operative Society Limited, Kasimkota, Visakhapatnam District through the Commissioner of Technical Education, A.P., Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER